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Applicant:

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OF MATERIALS TO AN INTERIOR SURFACE OF A CURVED PIPE

DRAWING TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Seattle, Washington 98101

March 22, 2001

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

ATTENTION: OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON/DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH

A. Submission of Drawings

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application are substitute formal drawings.

The Official Draftsperson is asked to review the drawings and approve them for entry into the file. If there are any questions concerning the drawings, the Official Draftsperson is asked to call applicant's attorney at the telephone number listed below.

B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request

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for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Enclosed is a certified copy of the following application for which a claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 has been made:

Title Country Application No. Filed Canada 2,282,134 09/14/1999 METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CIRCUMFERENTIAL WELDING OF OVERLAY MATERIALS TO AN INTERIOR

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